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4)  Claim(s) 24 and 26-42 is/are pending in the a 4a) Of the above claim(s) is/are withdra 5)  Claim(s) is/are allowed. 6)  Claim(s) 24 and 26-42 is/are rejected. 7)  Claim(s) is/are objected to. 8)  Claim(s) are subject to restriction and/o	awn from consideration.			
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<ul> <li>12) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).</li> <li>a) All b) Some * c) None of:</li> <li>1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.</li> <li>2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No</li> <li>3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).</li> <li>* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.</li> </ul>				
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### **DETAILED ACTION**

1. This **Second Non-Final** action is responsive to the response filed on 6/18/2010.

2. In the response Claims 24 and 26-42 remain pending. Claims 24, 31, 34 and 40 are the independent claims.

## Withdrawn Rejections

3. The 35 U.S.C. 103(a) rejections of claims 24 and 26-42 with cited reference of Shiimori (U.S. 7,010,587) has been withdrawn in light of the persuasive arguments.

# Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 103

- 4. The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 103(a) which forms the basis for all obviousness rejections set forth in this Office action:
  - (a) A patent may not be obtained though the invention is not identically disclosed or described as set forth in section 102 of this title, if the differences between the subject matter sought to be patented and the prior art are such that the subject matter as a whole would have been obvious at the time the invention was made to a person having ordinary skill in the art to which said subject matter pertains. Patentability shall not be negatived by the manner in which the invention was made.
- 5. Claims 24 and 26-42 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Shiimori (U.S. 7,010,587, filed Aug. 21, 2000, previously cited in the action dated 2/27/2009) further in view of Adler (U.S. 7,155,672, filed May 23, 2000, previously cited in the action dated 4/7/2008).

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Regarding Independent claim 24, Shiimori discloses A method performed by a server, comprising: (i) storing a client profile, the client profile comprising a font capabilities list for each of multiple client devices, each font capabilities list comprising a list of fonts for which the device has font structure data, the font structure data defining the structure in which text formatted with the respective font is to be rendered (see abstract & fig 10 & column 4, lines 16-67, disclosing a font capabilities list for each of multiple client devices and respective OS); (ii) receiving text data addressed to a designated one of the devices, the text data comprising text and font identifiers, the font identifiers identifying which fonts to use to render the text (fig 10, numeral 92, disclosing receiving text data that includes text and font identifiers such as the font name based on the determined service); (iii) comparing the font identifiers in the text data with the fonts in the capabilities list of the designated device, to determine the font identifiers for which the designated device lacks font structure data (Although Shiimori discloses comparing font identifiers in the text data with the capabilities list of the device, he only checks for a list of fonts supported by but not residing in the device and transmits a list of only supported font structure data. Thereby he fails to teach determining/sending the lacking font structure data. The lacking font structure data is one that is not listed in the capabilities list thereby not being supported by the device); Adler however discloses sending lacking front structure data and text data to a device thereby allowing display of content and storage. See abstract & column 12, lines 33-55 states "Only those glyphs that do not already exist on the electronic device are obtained at Step 40. At step 42, the one or more glyph sub-sets are sent to the electronic device to

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allow the electronic device to display one or more glyphs..." & furthermore disclosing updating the client profile on the local storage of the device with the updated font structure data residing in a file. At the time of the invention it would have been obvious for one of ordinary skill in the art to have modified the teachings of Shiimori for sending new unsupported & non-residing font data to a client device thereby ensuring that fonts usable by a server are also usable by any device.

Regarding Dependent claim 26, with dependency of claim 24, Although Shiimori discloses comparing font identifiers in the text data with the capabilities list of the device, he only checks for a list of fonts supported by but not residing in the device and transmits a list of only supported font structure data. Thereby he fails to teach determining/sending the lacking font structure data. The lacking font structure data is one that is not listed in the capabilities list thereby not being supported by the device); Adler however discloses sending lacking front structure data and text data to a device thereby allowing display of content and storage. See abstract & column 12, lines 33-55 states "Only those glyphs that do not already exist on the electronic device are obtained at Step 40. Thereby disclosing that the server receives the text data along with attendant font structure data required to render the text data, and, in step iv, the server operatively refrains from transferring the attendant front structure data to the device in response to determining in the comparing step that the device already has the attendant font structure data. At the time of the invention it would have been obvious for one of ordinary skill in the art to have modified the teachings of Shiimori for

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sending new unsupported & non-residing font data to a client device thereby ensuring that fonts usable by a server are also usable by any device.

Regarding Dependent claim 27, with dependency of claim 24, Although Shiimori discloses comparing font identifiers in the text data with the capabilities list of the device, he only checks for a list of fonts supported by but not residing in the device and transmits a list of only supported font structure data. Thereby he fails to teach determining/sending the lacking font structure data. The lacking font structure data is one that is not listed in the capabilities list thereby not being supported by the device); Adler however discloses sending lacking front structure data and text data to a device thereby allowing display of content and storage. See abstract & column 12, lines 33-55 states "Only those glyphs that do not already exist on the electronic device are obtained at Step 40. At the time of the invention it would have been obvious for one of ordinary skill in the art to have modified the teachings of Shiimori for sending new unsupported & non-residing font data to a client device thereby ensuring that fonts usable by a server are also usable by any device.

Regarding Dependent claim 28, with dependency of claim 24, Shiimori discloses

Determining whether any of the font identifiers in the received text data that are not found in the font capabilities list of the designated device have equivalent counterparts that are found in the font capabilities list of the designated device (column 4, lines 56-67 & column 5, lines 1-15).

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Regarding Dependent claims 29, 32, 38 and 41, with dependency of claim 24, Shiimori discloses further comprising a step, performed before step (i), of receiving a list of client font capabilities from each of the client devices (see figs 3 & 5, wherein a list of client font capabilities from each client device is received).

**Regarding Dependent claims 30, 33, 39 and 42,** Shiimori discloses wherein the client devices are wireless mobile communication devices (see column 3, lines 25-60).

Regarding Independent claim 31, Shiimori discloses A method comprising the following steps performed by a server in the following order: (i) storing a client profile, the client profile comprising a font capabilities list for each of multiple client devices, each font capabilities list comprising a list of fonts for which the device has font structure data, the font structure data defining the structure in which text formatted with the respective font is to be rendered (see abstract & fig 10 & column 4, lines 16-67, disclosing a font capabilities list for each of multiple client devices and respective OS); (ii) receiving text data addressed to a designated one of the devices, the text data comprising text and font structure data for rendering the text (fig 10, numeral 92, disclosing receiving text data that includes text and font identifiers such as the font name based on the determined service); (iii) determining, from the stored capabilities list for the designated device, whether the device already has the font structure data (Although Shiimori discloses comparing font identifiers in the text data with the capabilities

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list of the device, he only checks for a list of fonts supported by but not residing in the device and transmits a list of only supported font structure data. Thereby he fails to teach determining/sending the lacking font structure data. The lacking font structure data is one that is not listed in the capabilities list thereby not being supported by the device); Adler however discloses sending lacking front structure data and text data to a device thereby allowing display of content and storage. See abstract & column 12, lines 33-55 states "Only those glyphs that do not already exist on the electronic device are obtained at Step 40. At step 42, the one or more glyph sub-sets are sent to the electronic device to allow the electronic device to display one or more glyphs..." & furthermore disclosing updating the client profile on the local storage of the device with the updated font structure data residing in a file. At the time of the invention it would have been obvious for one of ordinary skill in the art to have modified the teachings of Shiimori for sending new unsupported & nonresiding font data to a client device thereby ensuring that fonts usable by a server are also usable by any device.

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Regarding Independent claim 34, Shiimori discloses A method comprising the following steps performed by a server in the following order: (i) storing a client profile, the client profile comprising a font capabilities list for each of multiple client devices, each font capabilities list comprising a list of fonts for which the device has font structure data, the font structure data defining the structure in which text formatted with the respective font is to be rendered (see abstract & fig 10 & column 4, lines 16-67,

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disclosing a font capabilities list for each of multiple client devices and respective OS); (ii) receiving text data addressed to a designated one of the devices, the text data comprising text and font identifiers, the font identifiers identifying which fonts to use to render the text (fig 10, numeral 92, disclosing receiving text data that includes text and font identifiers such as the font name based on the determined service); (iii) determining which of the text data's font identifiers is not found in the designated device's font capabilities list (Although Shiimori discloses comparing font identifiers in the text data with the capabilities list of the device, he only checks for a list of fonts supported by but not residing in the device and transmits a list of only supported font structure data. Thereby he fails to teach determining/sending the lacking font structure data. The lacking font structure data is one that is not listed in the capabilities list thereby not being supported by the device); Adler however discloses sending lacking front structure data and text data to a device thereby allowing display of content and storage. See abstract & column 12, lines 33-55 states "Only those glyphs that do not already exist on the electronic device are obtained at Step 40. At step 42, the one or more glyph sub-sets are sent to the electronic device to allow the electronic device to display one or more glyphs..." & furthermore disclosing updating the client profile on the local storage of the device with the updated font structure data residing in a file. At the time of the invention it would have been obvious for one of ordinary skill in the art to have modified the teachings of Shiimori for sending new unsupported & non-residing font data to a client device thereby ensuring that fonts usable by a server are also usable by any device.

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**Regarding Dependent claim 35,** with dependency of claim 34, Shiimori discloses wherein step iv includes determining whether another font identifier exists in the designated font capabilities list that is the same as said not found font identifier (see fig 3, wherein other font identifiers are determined in the capabilities list).

**Regarding Dependent claim 36,** with dependency of claim 34, Shiimori discloses wherein step iv includes determining whether the server has font structure data for said another font identifier, and step V includes transferring said font structure data for said another font identifier to the designated device (see fig 3 & 10).

Regarding Dependent claim 37, with dependency of claim 34, Shiimori discloses wherein step iv includes determining whether another server has font structure data for said another font identifier, and obtaining said font structure data from said other server, and step v includes transferring said font structure data for said another font identifier to the designated device (see abstract & fig 10, wherein font data is obtained from another server).

**Regarding Independent claim 40,** Shiimori discloses A method comprising the following steps performed by a server in the following order: (i) storing a font capabilities list for each of multiple client devices, each font capabilities list comprising a list of fonts for which the device has font structure data, the font structure data defining

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the structure in which text formatted with the respective font is to be rendered (see abstract & fig 10 & column 4, lines 16-67, disclosing a font capabilities list for each of multiple client devices and respective OS); (ii) receiving text data addressed to a designated one of the devices, the text data comprising text and font identifiers, the font identifiers identifying which fonts to use to render the text (fig 10, numeral 92, disclosing receiving text data that includes text and font identifiers such as the font name based on the determined service); (iii) determining which of the text data's font identifiers is not found in the designated device's font capabilities list (see fig 10 numeral 92 where a search is performed for font file associated with the requested service which includes the needed font); (iv) requesting and receiving font structure data for said not found font identifier from another server (Although Shiimori discloses comparing font identifiers in the text data with the capabilities list of the device, he only checks for a list of fonts supported by but not residing in the device and transmits a list of only supported font structure data. Thereby he fails to teach determining/sending the lacking font structure data. The lacking font structure data is one that is not listed in the capabilities list thereby not being supported by the device); Adler however discloses sending lacking front structure data and text data to a device thereby allowing display of content and storage. See abstract & column 12, lines 33-55 states "Only those glyphs that do not already exist on the electronic device are obtained at Step 40. At step 42, the one or more glyph sub-sets are sent to the electronic device to allow the electronic device to display one or more glyphs..." & furthermore disclosing updating the client profile on the local storage of the device with the

updated font structure data residing in a file. At the time of the invention it would have been obvious for one of ordinary skill in the art to have modified the teachings of Shiimori for sending new unsupported & non-residing font data to a client device thereby ensuring that fonts usable by a server are also usable by any device.

It is noted that any citation [[s]] to specific, pages, columns, lines, or figures in the prior art references and any interpretation of the references should not be considered to be limiting in any way. A reference is relevant for all it contains and may be relied upon for all that it would have reasonably suggested to one having ordinary skill in the art. [[See, MPEP 2123]]

### **Response to Arguments**

6. Applicant's arguments filed 6/18/2010 have been fully considered but are moot in view of the new grounds of rejection.

#### Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Manglesh M. Patel whose telephone number is (571) 272-5937. The examiner can normally be reached on M, W 6 am-3 pm T, TH 6 am-2pm, Fr 9am-6pm.

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